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NEAR ZERO IS PROMISED BY TONIGHT

Cold Wave, Country-Wide, Will Continue Several Days, Weather Bureau Says.

MERCURY SINKS RAPIDLY

The cold wave has arrived. Minus the sleet and heavy storms which have nearly paralyzed the Northwest, the cold wave predicted two days ago by the weather forecaster arrived last night on the wings of a gale. This morning the thermometer registered 16 degrees at the lowest point reached during the night. No relief is promised. The moon weather forecast today says it will be "colder" tomorrow.

There was a light snow fall here early this morning and for a time it seemed there would be a heavy precipitation, but it did not continue. In the mountains it is reported there is about two inches.

The coldest report came from Indian Head. At that place the mercury scurried down to 12 degrees and at Rockwood 14 degrees was reported at 8 o'clock this morning. At Sand Patch the temperature was 16 degrees at 8 o'clock.

The temperature drop was one of 30 degrees in Connellsville. The mercury registered 65 degrees yesterday afternoon as the highest point. Then with the coming of night, it began to drop rapidly. At 11 o'clock this morning the mercury was still standing at 20 degrees.

As predicted by the official forecaster the present wave is the coldest of the season. It is further predicted that it will remain for quite a period.

CHICAGO. Dec. 20.—At least 15 persons were killed as a result of the sub-zero weather centering over the Middle West, according to data obtainable today. Four were killed at Milwaukee, three in Oklahoma, two in St. Louis, two in Chicago, two in Detroit, one near Kansas City, Mo., and one in Kansas. The deaths were due to fires from overheated stove pipes or icy sidewalks, traffic accidents and exhaustion.

The polar weather should lift from this territory within the next 24 hours, the Weather Bureau stated. In the meantime the Middle West is struggling with the task of clearing the tangle of broken telegraph and telephone wires and poles which have disrupted communication and slowed up railroad and interurban service.

Travel between Chicago and St. Louis is seven to eight hours late.

Temperatures of 40 below zero are reported from Montana, 34 below in Minnesota, 30 below in Wisconsin and 28 below in North Dakota.

PITTSBURGH. Dec. 20.—Western Pennsylvania today is in the grip of the first real winter weather of the season. Temperatures dropped an average of 40 degrees in the last 24 hours. At 10 A. M. in Pittsburgh it was 14 degrees and tonight the mercury will drop to about five above zero, according to Forecaster W. S. Brozman. The low temperature will prevail for several days.

WASHINGTON. Dec. 20.—Weekly weather forecast for the North and Middle Atlantic states:

Cold weather practically the entire week, mostly fair, is indicated, although there is some probability of snow about the middle of the week.

JEFFERSON TOWNSHIP AUDITORIUM AND HALL DEDICATED FRIDAY

Former Governor John K. Tener was the principal speaker at the dedication of the Jefferson township school auditorium and gymnasium last evening in the auditorium at Newell. The ex-governor spoke of the "Value of Athletics." J. B. Yohe, vice president and general manager, of the Pittsburg and Lake Erie Railroad, spoke on "A Half Century of Railroad Service."

The program that was carried out follows: Orchestra selection, Golden Gate Eight, which donated its services; Invocation by Rev. Carl E. Chapman, pastor of the Newell Methodist Episcopal Church; address, John S. Carroll, county superintendent of schools; address, Prof. I. C. Keller, California Normal School; "Our School Yesterday and Today," by Major Miller Guler, Dr. J. George Decht, state superintendent of public instruction; delivered an address as did E. R. Dow, superintendent of the General Chemical Company.

J. Buell Snyder, a member of the United States Rural Educational Survey Commission, acted as toastmaster.

WINTER SEASON BEGINS SUNDAY

Winter is scheduled to begin officially, Sunday night at 9:46 o'clock, eastern time.

Boosters Determined Road Toward Normalville Shall Be Kept Constantly to Front

ADD 50,000 EMPLOYEES TO POSTAL SERVICE TO ASSIST SANTA CLAUS

WASHINGTON. Dec. 20.—Fifty thousand extra employees of the Postoffice Department are being appointed throughout the country to assist Santa Claus in making a prompt distribution of his joy goods between now and Christmas day. These are the figures announced by Postmaster General New. Of the total emergency employees, from 15,000 to 20,000 will be in the railway mail service. The cost of assisting Santa Claus is placed at \$2,500,000.

Governor-Elect Bingham Goes to Senate.



DR. HIRAM BINGHAM

Dr. Hiram Bingham, governor-elect of Connecticut, defeated Hamilton Holt in the special election for United States senator to succeed the late Frank B. Brandegee. Before his election he was lieutenant governor of the state.

Cold Wave Leads To Death of Two In Detroit Home

By Unlaid Press.

DETROIT, Mich., Dec. 20.—Two children lost their lives and three others were seriously burned yesterday when fire started from an overheated stove, destroyed the home of Charles E. Whitman.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Johnson, three, were the victims. Eber, Whitman's son, rescued the rest of the family.

MEYERSDALE MAN DIES IN OHIO

MEYERSDALE, Dec. 20.—The body of Arthur L. Wellington, who died at Akron, Ohio, arrived Thursday evening at Meyersdale and was removed to the home of Mrs. George Howell, his mother, at Boynton, where funeral services were held Friday afternoon.

Besides his mother Mr. Wellington is survived by the following brothers and sisters: Charles, Masontown; Levin, Stoystown; Mrs. Archibald Howell, Boynton; Mrs. A. M. Cochran, Meyersdale, and Mrs. Frank Wagner, Johnstown.

Bracken Draws Fine of \$2,200

By United Press.

PITTSBURGH. Dec. 20.—John P. Bracken, former candidate for Lieutenant Governor on the Democratic ticket, who was found guilty of conspiracy and possessing and transporting liquor while he was received for the Thomas More Distilling Company at McKeesport, was ordered by Judge McKeon today to pay a fine of \$2,200.

Fishing Licenses Being Distributed

HARRISBURG, Dec. 20.—Fishing licenses for 1925 are being distributed to the county treasurers throughout the state the Game Commission announced today. The buttons are the same size as the ones in use this year and the color combination is red and black on a white background.

A summary of the law relating to fish and fishing in inland waters is being given to each treasurer when the licenses are issued.

Rural Carrier Test. The Civil Service will hold examinations at the Connellsville Post office January 21 to 23; positions of rural carriers out of Dubois and Dawson.

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ANTI-JAPANESE JINGOES MAKING MESS OF THINGS

By Their Ill-Advised Agitation, Foolish Actions and Loose Talk.

RESOLUTION OF BRITTEN

To Call Conference of "White Nations On Defensive Measures" Does Not Represent American Sentiment; Is Confusing, Not Clearing, Situation.

BY DAVID LAWRENCE, Copyright, 1924, by The Courier.

WASHINGTON. Dec. 20.—The same old story—shall Congress or the Executive conduct the foreign relations of the United States—has dropped out anew.

Having offended Japan by restring legislation last summer, Congress is again the scene of debate, the effect of which is anticipated, will not help relations between Washington and Tokyo and, on the other hand, make even more difficult the already great burden on the President and Secretary of State in keeping official intercourse with Japan on a friendly basis.

It all started through the clamor for a bigger navy, but it was intensified by the isolated action of Representative Britten of Illinois. Republican, a ranking member of the naval committee, who asked the House of Representatives to adopt a resolution authorizing the President to call on the "white nations bordering on the Pacific" to confer on defensive measures.

Mr. Britten's idea doesn't represent the sentiment of Congress but when cabled to Japan explanations are not always made of the exact importance of each resolution. Coming as it does at the same time that the clamp is for a larger navy, and when the American navy is planning maneuvers in the Pacific, the Britten resolution annoyed the Department of State to the extreme.

The President had just started a campaign of denial through the press hoping that the jingoism would be squelched. But he had hardly finished the when the resolution got up a conference of the nations bordering on the Pacific was launched at a banquet of representatives of the chambers of commerce of Pacific Coast states and representatives in Congress from the coast.

Several of the Pacific Coast members, including Chairman Johnson of Washington of the House Immigration Committee, are insisting that the Britten resolution is unwise and that it does not represent the true sentiment of the people of the United States who live in the Pacific coast region.

But some of the damage has been done and the executive branch of the government realizes so much that Secretary Hughes broke a precedent in the last 24 hours by commanding officially on the appointment by Japan of a new ambassador. He took occasion to speak in complimentary terms of the new navy and Japan knows that his purpose was to allay any ill-feeling that might have been caused by the recent anti-Japanese agitation and the implications of the talk about a greater navy.

The executive branch of the government feels that if the two governments are left alone, and public opinion is not influenced by outward incidents or provocative action in the legislatures of either country, the relations between Japan and the United States will be improved and may ultimately be found to remove the causes of the present irritation.

Meanwhile, the American government is endeavoring to do all in its power to convince the Japanese people that there is no hostility on this side of the Pacific. Although Washington cannot influence the states, it would be most gratifying to the Administration here if some demonstration of friendship came from the Pacific Coast people to offset the impression conveyed by the Britten resolution, which purported to represent Pacific Coast opinion.

Perryopolis Girl Wins Essay Prize

The prize winners in the essay contest that was conducted by the merchants of the Charleroi Chamber of Commerce were announced today. The contest was held for high school, junior high school and elementary grade schools. The title of the essay was "Why We Should Shop in Charleroi." The judges looked over the final essay last evening. The winners are:

For high school students, first prize, \$10 gold piece, won by Miss Jeanette Carroll of Charleroi; second prize, \$5 gold piece awarded to Hortense Greenberg of Charleroi.

For junior high school students, first prize, \$10 gold piece, won by Muriel Luce of Perryopolis; second prize, \$5 gold piece, by David Jack of Charleroi.

For elementary grades, first prize, \$10 gold piece, won by Gertrude Trenton of Charleroi; Irene Crabb of Lock No. 4, second prize. First was \$10 and second \$5, both in gold.

The Weather

Partly cloudy tonight and Sunday; snow flurries; colder, is the noon weather forecast for Western Pennsylvania.

Temperature	Record.
1924	1923
Maximum	60 61
Minimum	16 43
Mean	43 54

Mumps at Trotter.

Several cases of mumps are reported at Trotter.

Music, Spelling Bee and Eighth Grade Reading Are Added to H. S. Contests

First of New Ones Will Be Music Events at Perry Township High, March 23.

LOVING CUPS THE PRIZES

Four new contests are billed to the Fayette county Interhigh school literary contests that are held annually under the auspices of the county school directors' association.

They are wind and stringed instruments, eighth grade reading and spelling bee. Particulars regarding the eight contests which are to be held next spring were sent to every high school in the county.

This will be the fourth year of the contests. The first, in 1922 was held in the Uniontown High School. The years 1923 and 1924 found the contests held at other high schools.

The dates for 1925 contests have not yet been set.

The select oration contest will be held at Belle Vernon High School on March 2, in the Methodist Episcopal Church. The I. C. Sutton Loving cup and a \$200 scholarship are the prizes.

The Dunbar township High School Auditorium at Ligonier No. 1 will be the scene of the reading contest on March 3. The award is the O. R. Brownfield loving cup and a \$200 scholarship.

The George L. Moore loving cup and a \$200 scholarship are the awards for the original oration contest at the Fairchance High School on March 16.

The first two of the new features will be held at the Perry Township High School at Perriopolis on the night of March 23. They will be music contests, both wind and stringed instruments, each in a separate part. A loving cup will be awarded, while an effort is being made to get a scholarship. The rules of each contest provide for any wind instrument, with piano accompaniment and stringed instruments, with piano accompaniment, the second. No accompanist is necessary if the contestant so desires. The accompanist must be a student from the same school.

A spelling bee and reading contests will be held at the German township high school at McClellandton on the night of March 30. Part "A" will be the spelling bee contest, with three eighth grade pupils from each district participating. "B" is the eighth grade reading contest. The rules for the latter provide that each district shall select by competition during the weeks preceding March 30 the three best spellers and bring them or have them come to the German Township High School. The reading contests are to be chosen in the same way. The W. A. Edmiston loving cup is the award for the spelling bee and the John S. Carroll loving cup will be given to the winner of the reading contest. These are the other new contests that have just been added.

The question, "Resolved, That the United States Should Maintain a Navy of Sufficient Strength for Peace Only," regardless of the Policy of the Other Nations," will be debated. The first will be held on the night of March 6 and others will be held weekly until the end of the schedule that will be announced when the number of entries are known. The J. Buell Snyder loving cup, donated by Senator Guy W. Brown, is up for the award and two \$300 scholarships to the University of Pittsburgh will also be given.

Regarding the debates, it was announced that they will be run on the basis of a baseball schedule. The winner will be the school having the best percentage at the end. Two points will be given for every victory.

As an added attraction, the University of Pittsburgh will entertain at a banquet in one of the university halls all the high school debaters and contest participants. Other forms of entertainment will be furnished making it all in all a very wholesome visit for the boys and girls.

Each school is privileged to enter Continued on Page Six.

White Christmas Over Nearly Whole Country Forecast

By United Press.

WASHINGTON. Dec. 20.—A "white Christmas" was forecast by the United States Weather Bureau today. In its regular weekly weather forecast the bureau reported the probability of cold weather and snow in every portion of the United States except the extreme South and West.

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Society

C. A. R. D. CLUB GIVES THIRD ANNUAL CHRISTMAS DANCE

A function of delightful appointments was the third annual Christmas dance of the C. A. R. D. Club held last night in the Kiwanis Club rooms or the Carnegie Free Library with about seventy-five couples in attendance. Guests were mostly members of the younger set, including those home from school for the holidays. The decorations were in keeping with the Yuletide season, a color scheme of red and green predominating. Crepe paper was fastened about the room while the lights were capped with red shades. Dancing was indulged in from 9 to 1 o'clock. The committee was composed of Miss Olive Hutchcraft, Miss Mabel Fluday, Miss Mary K. King, Miss Mary E. Weston, Miss Elizabeth M. Girard, Miss Sarah Bell, Driscoll, Miss Beatrice Bright, Miss Gladys D. Bright, Miss Edna McManus and Miss Gertrude Glew. Patrons and patrons were Charles E. Porter, Jasenage Genzler, Wilson Brown, Reed Corbin, Christopher Foster, Stanley Phillips, Lloyd Spangler, Miss Margaret J. Klingensmith, Miss Frances Johnson, Miss Blanche Cotton, Miss Helen Potts, Miss Helen Major, Miss Mildred Fulton and Miss Dorothy Geotz. Out-of-town guests were from Uniontown, Pittsburgh, Scottdale, Mount Pleasant, Duquesne and Dunbar.

Baldinger-Matthews.

Announcement of the marriage of Miss Maude Baldinger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Baldinger of Uniontown, and Orville L. Matthews, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Matthews of Smithfield, was made at a bridge party given last evening by Miss Helen King at her home in Uniontown. The wedding took place in Pittsburgh, June 24, last and came as a surprise to many friends of the bride and groom. The bride was graduated from Bellomy College and is a member of the Alpha Xi Delta and the Alpha Phi Epsilon fraternalities. She has been teacher of English in the Uniontown High School for the past three years. The bridegroom is manager of the J. A. Matthews and Sons store in Smithfield. Mr. and Mrs. Matthews will be at home at Smithfield after January 1.

Lutheran Bible Class.

The Ladies' Bible Class of Trinity Lutheran Church met last night at the home of Mrs. John Zimmerman. The vice-president, Mrs. C. M. Stoner, conducted the lesson study. Interesting readings on Christmas were given by Mrs. Harry Decker, Mrs. S. G. Zimmerman, Mrs. Caroline McMullen, Mrs. J. W. Cuba and Mrs. Louise Reynolds. Mrs. Carl Zimmerman played a piano solo. Francis Clabaugh sang two Christmas songs. Lunch was served by a committee composed of Mrs. John Zimmerman, Mrs. S. G. Zimmerman and Mrs. E. B. Zimmerman.

Doebracher-Atkinson.

Miss Alma Doebracher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Doebracher of Jasenage, and Rudolph D. Atkinson, son of Mrs. W. D. Atkinson of South Greensburg, were married Thursday night in the parsonage of the Reformed Church at Jasenage. Rev. Dr. S. Mann, the pastor officiated. The bridegroom was graduated from the Greensburg High School and State College. Mr. and Mrs. Atkinson will reside at Greensburg where the former is chief clerk for the West Penn Power Company.

Mrs. Graham Weston.

The Busy Twelve Club was delightfully entertained last evening by Mrs. Albert Graham at her home in South Eighth street, Greenwood. Twelve members and two guests were present and spent a very enjoyable evening at fancywork. The hostess served dainty refreshments. Decorations in keeping with the Yuletide season prevailed. The next meeting will be held Friday evening, January 16, at the home of Mrs. Harry Morgan in South Ninth street, Greenwood.

Dawson Auxiliary to Meet.

The regular meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen at Dawson will be held Monday evening at Junior Hall. Every member is requested to bring a Christmas package that will be distributed during the social period that will follow the business session.

Carols at Dunbar.

The Sunday school of the Dunbar Methodist Protestant Church will present "Santa Claus' Bazaar" in the annual cantata at the church. It is probable that it will be given next Tuesday evening. The cantata will include 17 musical numbers. Fifty persons will take part in the cast.

Gospel Minstrel.

Christmas service will be held at the mission on East Crawford near Murphy avenue, Sunday at 3 P. M. The mission will be closed until after New Year, during the absence of the workers. Miss Sophie Neiklaus and Miss Violet Round, workers in charge.

L. C. O. Club to Meet.

Mrs. J. L. Roberts will be hostess at the regular meeting of the L. C. O. Club Monday night at her home 236½ South Prospect street. A grab bag and the exchange of Christmas gifts by the members will feature the meeting.

Christmas Programs Will Be Given Sunday In Churches of City

Christmas programs in the churches tomorrow include the following:

Christian.

The order of the morning service is:

Prelude.

Hymn No. 5, with invocation and Lord's Prayer.

Prayer.

Offertory—"Salut D'Amour," Edwin H. Lemore.

Carol—"The Christmas Story," II L. Heartz.

(A) The Nasionale Hope.

(B) The Lowly Birth.

(C) Honoring Christ.

(D) Gloria.

Benediction.

Prelude—Postlude in G. Ed Read.

Postlude—Minutes greeting and Christian conversation.

In the evening at 6 o'clock, there will be "White Gifts to the King."

Prelude—Causes Adoption, R. S. Stoughton.

Processional.

Hymn, "Oh Come All Ye Faithful."

Prayer—J. L. Kurk.

Hymn No. 111.

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Hymn No. 110.

Legend—Mrs. Buckner.

Lullaby—Choir.

Song, Beginner's department—"The First Christmas."

Beginners present gifts of substance.

Song, Primary department—"Away in the Manger."

Primary department presents gifts.

Song, Junior department—"Oh Little Town of Bethlehem."

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REV. JOHN HACKETT IS TRANSFERRED TO PITTSBURG PARISH

Mount Pleasant Rector Will
Have Larger Work, With
Two Assistants.

A EXCELLENT MANAGER

During His 10-Year Stay Church and
School Debts Have Been Cleared
And Value of Property Enhanced;
James Cox Under Operation; Notes

Special to The Courier
MOUNT PLEASANT, Dec. 20.—Rev.
John Hackett, rector of St. Joseph's
Roman Catholic Church, will on Janu-
ary 8 go to St. Andrews, Northside
Pittsburg, to take charge of that par-
ish. He will have two assistants.
Rev. Hackett took charge of the St.
Joseph's Church following the death
of Father O'Donnell and has during
the past 10 years been a most
successful pastor. He is an excellent
manager as well as pastor. Since his
pastorate began the church and school
debt have been cleared.

No rector will be chosen until the
conference to be held January 13.

Infant Dies.

A funeral service was held at St.
Joseph's Church yesterday morning
for John Waters, the nine-month-old
son of Mr. and Mrs. James Waters.
Interment was made in St. Joseph's
Cemetery.

Institute Closes.

The Mount Pleasant Institute
closed on Wednesday for the holiday
vacation and will open again on Janu-
ary 7. Miss Emmaine Ruble, who
has charge and who recently under-
went an operation at the Memorial
Hospital, is getting along nicely and
is able to sit up. Miss Evelyn Pabel,
assistant piano teacher, took over as
many of Miss Ruble's students as it
was possible to teach.

James Cox Under Knife.
James Cox of the Cox Theatre, who
has been undergoing treatment in
Pittsburg for some time, yesterday
was operated on at a Pittsburg hospital.
Mrs. Cox went to Pittsburg to be with him during the operation.

Personal Mention.

Miss Edith Reese, daughter of Mr.
and Mrs. Jerry Reese of Main street,
a student at California Normal, Miss
Barbara Sibley, a student at Indiana
Normal and James Shields, a student
at W. & J., are home for the holiday
vacation.

More Scarlet Fever.

An additional case of scarlet fever
was reported to the Board of Health
Friday. The patient is Clinton
Snyder, Jr., 615 Blackstone avenue
West Side, three-year-old son of Mr.
and Mrs. Clinton R. Snyder.

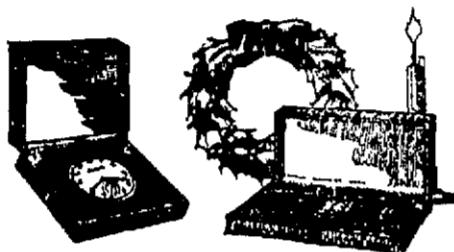
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time, filled with delicious fruits
from the gardens of the world.
Packed in beautiful cartons of
one, two and four pound sizes.

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Gift Watches From Your Favorite Gift Store

Wrist watches for women, pocket watches and
outdoor strap watches for men can be selected
here in beautiful styles and at prices according to your
preferences.

Christmas shoppers also will find here a wealth of
jewelry, silverware, and articles of home decoration
which make very appropriate gifts at moderate prices.

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Connellsville, Pa.



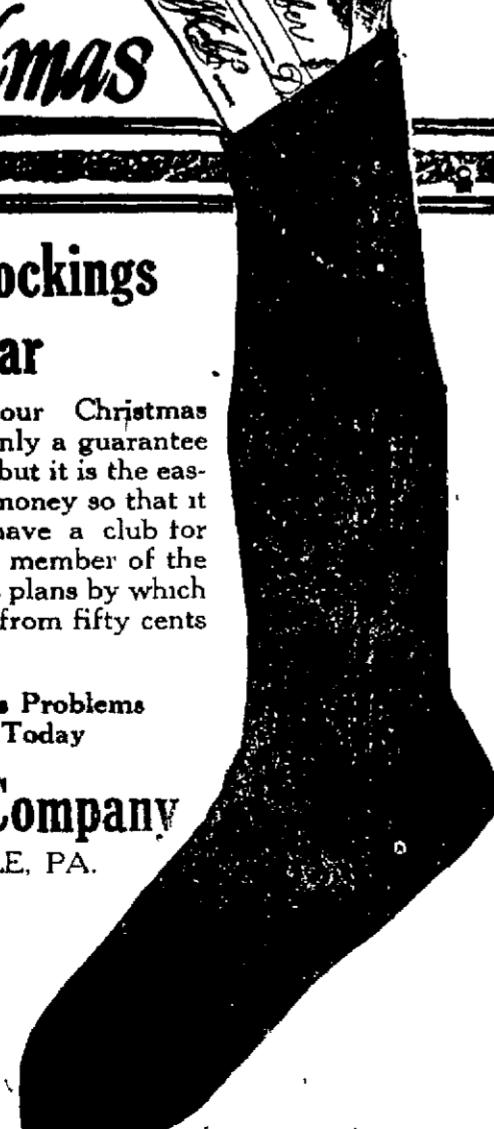
SAVE for Next Xmas

No Empty Stockings Next Year

A MEMBERSHIP in our Christmas
Savings Club is not only a guarantee
for funds next Christmas, but it is the eas-
iest way to put aside the money so that it
will not be noticed. We have a club for
every purse and for every member of the
family. There are various plans by which
you can save any amount from fifty cents
and upward each week.

Solve Your Christmas Problems
By Joining Here Today

Yough Trust Company
CONNELLSVILLE, PA.



Suitable Gifts That are Always Useful

Selberling All Thread Cords
30x8½ \$11.50

Heavy Tourist Red Tubes,
30x3½ \$1.35

31x4 ----- \$1.75

Gabriel Snubbers for all cars
—Price for Fords

\$15.75

Hassler Shock Absorbers for
Fords

\$17.50

Ford Heaters, Regular price
\$1.75. Special—

\$1.65

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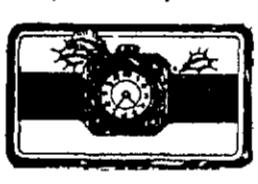
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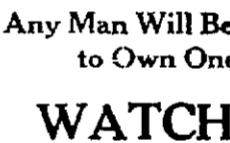
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SUCCESS OF ROAD MEETING.

To have received the very hearty assurances, given by Senator Brown and Representative Henderson, that the agreement between the County Commissioners and the State Department of Highways providing for the construction of the Connellsville-to-Harmington road, will be kept in both spirit and letter, and that the building of additional sections will be on the program for 1925, fully meets the expectations of the persons who suggested the public meeting held in Connellsville Friday afternoon.

There has been no lack of confidence in the persistence and industry of our representatives in the General Assembly in looking after the interests of their constituents, but it was felt that it would be a good thing to revive public interest in the project so that the road authorities will themselves know that the people in the territory served by this important highway are strictly on the job of securing its completion.

The meeting served these purposes in an excellent way and gave new proof of the potency and effectiveness of cooperation among the people of a community whose interests are mutual. The State Highway Department and the County Commissioners now know what the people of Connellsville and the mountain townships confidently expect. They are not disposed to be unreasonable in their demands but they merely wish to press their claims for a share of road roads with the vigor necessary to show that they are in earnest, and will be duly appreciative of the favors they may receive at the hands of those who have the final word as to where, when and what mileage is to be constructed.

The adoption of the suggestion to create an executive committee to outline a three-year program was a very wise step. Such action will be assurance that the campaign to carry this road to ultimate completion will progress systematically and that interest in it will not be allowed to abate.

The meeting may, therefore, be said to have fully accomplished its purpose and done even more. It was another occasion whereby the people of the city and the mountain townships were brought together as a means of strengthening the relationships which should exist between them and cause each to feel that they are dependent upon the other for the accomplishment of things which are worthwhile.

WHY COKE PRICES HAVE NOT ADVANCED.

It is by no means surprising that the price of coke has not yet been advanced proportionately with the increase in the cost of production which will result from the restoration of the September, 1920, scale by the independent operators.

This action came so much in advance of the time the region generally regarded as opportune or necessary, and was taken so precipitately and without previous understanding among the producers, that the trade requires sometime for adjustment to the conditions that will be imposed.

Furnacemen and coke makers are merely expanding business operations and, foremost, by refraining from making efforts to buy or to sell coke. The former do not raise the addition of \$1.00 or more to the cost of fuel to be used in making pig iron already sold, or for which there may be some uncertainty as to their ability to secure a corresponding increase in price.

The coke makers are by no means disposed to enter into negotiations for disposal of their product unless they, too, have assurance that the increased cost of manufacture, or more, is taken into account in determining the starting point of negotiations.

Under the circumstances the attitude of waiting, which both buyers and sellers have assumed by common accord, is the logical outcome of the situation. It can, however, be reasonably expected that coke prices will advance, but not until the market has been adjusted to conditions, the development of which was wholly unexpected and for which there was believed to be no necessity for its pre-emptivity at this time.

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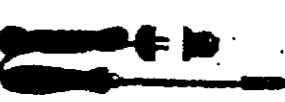
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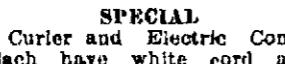
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"ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL," Dunbar. Gilbert Good, vicar—the fourth Sunday in Advent. Sunday school, 2; evening prayer and service, 3; sermon subject, "Simplicity and Mystery." Everybody welcome.

FIRST UNITED BRETHREN, Lincoln Avenue and Race street, J. H. Bridgeman, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45; morning worship, 11; subject, "If Christ Has Not Come." Juniors, 2. Christian Endeavor, 6:30. Evening worship, 7:30; subject, "Living to Christ." Chaperons exercises Christmas night. Everybody invited.

FIRST BAPTIST—E. H. Stevens, minister, Bible school, 9:45. "The Christmas Message." What might this world be had Jesus not been born? Morning worship, 11. Special music and program. Sermon, "What It Means to Us That Jesus Came." Anthem, "What Mean Those Holy Voices"; anthem, "Message So Wonderful Sweet" ladies' chorus, "Jesus Is Born"; solo, Miss Grace Robinson. The great advent hymns will be sung by the congregation. B. Y. P. U. at 4:45. Theme, "The Christmas Story."

FIRST BAPTIST—Dunbar. Sunday school meets at 9:45. The usual Christmas treat will be distributed. Preaching at 11; topic, "The Object of a Revival." Preaching at 7:30. On Sunday evening, December 23, evangelistic meeting will begin, conducted by Rev. A. A. Blanks, with M. D. Shearer in charge of the music.

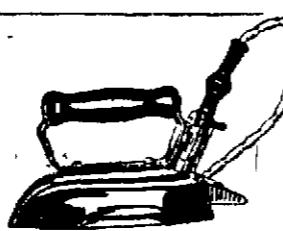
FIRST METHODIST EPISCOPAL—Bennett W. Hutchinson, S. T. D., pastor—Christians will be observed at Sunday school and both public services. The ministrants will preach at 11 on "There Was No Room at the Inn"; Is there a place for Jesus Christ in our life today? Epworth League at 6:30. At 7:30 several timely questions will be considered. Is not the Santa Claus idea a heathen notion and Christmas as now observed harmful to Christianity? Will you give an estimate of the character of Santa Claus and the effect of his death on labor? Where is God? Can you prove that there is a real God, who is alive and doing things today? What is the use of praying? Do you know certainly that any good comes from prayer? An appropriate service will be held on Christmas evening at 7:30, one hour in length. Come.

FAYETTE UNITED BRETHREN. Rev. C. Edward Shannon—Fairview. Sunday school, 10; preaching, 11; Christian Endeavor, 7:30. Mount Olive: Sunday school, 10; Christian Endeavor, 7:30; prayer service December 23, at 7:30. Mouré Memorial: Sunday school, 10; presiding, 7:30. Prayer service December 24, at 7:30. Christmas entertainment Thursday, December 25, at 7:30. We welcome you.

CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN, Vine and Newmyer, J. A. Buffenbarger, pastor—Church school at 9:45; morning worship at 11. Young People's meeting at 7. Reno Fletcher—Leader Evening worship at 7:30. Christmas program on Friday evening at 7:30. Payment, "Bethlehem."

EVANGELICAL, South Connellsville, Clewell K. Miller, pastor—Inasmuch as this is the Sunday preceding Christmas, the Sunday school and morning worship will be combined. The Sunday school will convene at 9:20 and morning worship will begin at about 10:15. Subject of sermon, "The First Christmas Service." In the evening at 7:15 the Sunday school will render a Christmas program entitled, "Bells of Hope."

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN J. L. Franklin, pastor—Sunday school, 9:45. Morning service at 11; subject of sermon, "The Nature of Jesus," a Christmas sermon. Special music in Sunday school and church. Christmas hymns and anthems. All should see the church. It is most tastefully and beautifully decorated, the work being done by an expert, C. D. Loveloy, of the Wright-Motter Company. The decorations being in white. In the evening, at 5 o'clock, a Christmas pageant, "White Gifts for the King," will be given by the Sunday school. The cast of characters includes



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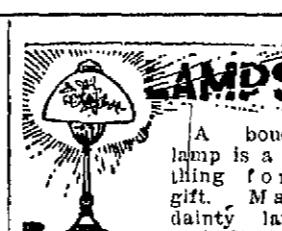


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CHRISTIAN—Geo. Walker Buckner, minister Burton M. Swartzelder, superintendent of Bible school, Bible school, 9:30. Christmas treat for beginners and primary. Announcement in each department will be made relative to the evening white gift service. Morning service at 10:40. Immediately following the Lord's Supper the choir will render the special Christmas cantata, "The Christmas Story." Robert L. Werner, the choir director, has had charge of the training and a treat to lovers of music in Christian worship is assured. The evening service will be held at 5 o'clock in lieu of the 7:30 service, and will be offered by the church choir and the Bible school, and will consist of "White" Gifts. Service to the King, with support by the choir in special music. White gifts of service, substance and soft will be offered. The money offerings of the service will be devoted to support of the Cleveland Orphans' Home.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL—Dunbar. Sunday school session and Christmas treat at 9:45. Every one is invited to the Christmas exercises of the Sunday school at 7:30 P. M. At this service the choir will render a cantata entitled "The Hope of the World." Morning worship at 11, subject of sermon "The Meaning of Christmas." Every member and friend of the church and congregation is urged to be present at both services.

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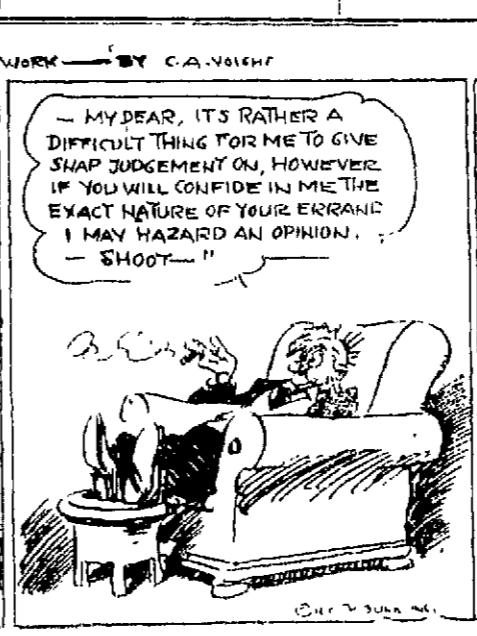
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Personal Mention

MOTHERS AND THEIR CHILDREN



Wearing an Overcoat

One Mother Says:
I used to scold my little boy because he would run out into the cold and flying snow without his overcoat. I came to realize that a clumsy outfit hampered him in his play. Now if I put extra warm underslothes on the little fellow and a close-fitted woolen sweater of which he is very proud, in this outfit he can run like the wind.

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Small, are home from Western Maryland College, Westminster, Md., for the Christmas holidays. They arrived this morning. Miss Florence Loudon, a student at the same college, arrived last night to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Loudon.

C. Roy Holzel, Prescription Druggist, open all day Sunday.—Advertisement—19dec24.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Fleming of Warren are spending the holidays at the home of Mrs. Fleming's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph B. Henderson. Mrs. Fleming was Miss Mary Henderson.

Kestner's Book Store, 125 West Apple Street, will be open in the evenings until Christmas.—Advertisement—18dec24.

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H. M. Hill and family of Uniontown spent last evening with Mr. Hill's parents, West Fayette street.

Leave your order for that five pound box of Whitman's Candy. We deliver anywhere. W. E. Blasi, your druggist, Smith House, Connellsville.—Advertisement—17dec24.

Miss Sara Porter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Porter of Wilks Road, accompanied by her sister, Miss Dorothy, who has been here, arrived home this morning from New Haven, Conn., where she is a student at Connecticut College, for the Christmas holidays.

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An Aeroball Washing Machine would make a fine Christmas gift. Edward Baer, General Hardware.—Advertisement—12dec24.

Miss Louise Opperman is home from Uniontown where she was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Thomas Courtney.

See our line of Xmas trees, candles and nuts before going elsewhere. Cadwallader's Store, South Connellsville.—Advertisement—16dec24.

Mr. William McQuaid and children of Uniontown were guests of friends here yesterday. We will solve the gift problem for you. Your name engraved in gold foil on every fountain pen purchased at Kestner's Book Store, 125 West Apple Street.—Advertisement—19dec24.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Boyle of Uniontown were expected home today from a honeymoon trip to New York. Mrs. Boyle, who before her marriage was Miss Eleanor Smith, is a granddaughter of Mrs. W. H. Glidman of the West Side.

Electrical household appliances of all kinds, Aeroball washers, Haag & sons, Bilt-Rite irons, Ohio Premier Duplex and Hoover Vacuum Cleaners, Irons, toasters, grills, etc. Walp Gray, 615 East Murphy Avenue, Bell 487, Tel-State 757. Representing Ambrose Diehl Electric Company, Uniontown, Pa.—Advertisement—18dec24.

Paul Lamberton, son of Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Lamberton and Miss Alice Goss, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. B.

ECZEMA IN RASH FOR TEN YEARS

On Face, Neck, Arms and Body, Itched and Burned. Cuticura Healed.

"My trouble began when I was about eight years old. Eczema had formed on my face, arms and body. At night I had to wear gloves because the scratching and burning were so bad that I rubbed the affected parts, which made it worse. The trouble lasted about ten years. I began using Cuticura Soap and Ointment and the badness stopped. I consulted the doctor and in two or three months I was healed." (Signed) Miss Evelyn Herrick, 1155 Mayella Street, Rochester, N.Y.

Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Cream promote and maintain skin healthy, skin comfort and skin health when all else fails.

George T. Hall, Advertiser, "Cuticura Laboratories," Rochester, N.Y., says: "Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Cream are the best soap and ointment for skin troubles."

Grim Reaper

MRS. AMANDA SHAFER, Rockwood, Dec. 20.—Mrs. Amanda Shaffer, 68 years old, of Hyndman, dropped dead Wednesday afternoon in the Baltimore & Ohio station at Rockwood, while awaiting a train on which she expected to return to her home. Her daughter, Mrs. Harry Hayman, with whom she had been visiting, was with her at the time. During her visit Mrs. Shaffer had not been so well and a short time ago she was examined by a physician, who found that she had unusually high blood pressure. Besides Mrs. Hayman she survived by three other daughters, residing at Hyndman. Her husband died several years ago.

JOHN WILTROUT.

The funeral service for John Wiltrout, one of the best-known residents of the community of Markleville, who died in the Uniontown Hospital, was held Friday morning at the Stillwagon Church, Addison Township, Somerset county. The interment was made in the church cemetery. Mr. Wiltrout is survived by two children, Mrs. Calvin Bounell of Barronvale and Charles Wiltrout of Markleville; also one brother, Charles Wiltrout of Rockwood, and one sister, Mrs. Alfred Coon of Fort Hill.

MRS. AMANDA WILLIAMS.

Mrs. Amanda Williams, widow of Thomas Williams, died Friday at her home in Uniontown. Had she lived until February 7 she would have been 84 years old.

DOROTHY MARIE CORNISH.

Dorothy Marie Cornish, 15 years old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Cornish of Uniontown, died Friday night.

NICOLA BIABELLA.

Funeral services for Nicola Biabella, who died at his home Tuesday in Dunbar, were held yesterday morning. The funeral cortège left the home at 8:30 o'clock and requiem high mass was celebrated in the St. Alcibiades Church. Interment was made in the church cemetery.

ETHEL VIRGINIA HENRY.

The funeral service for Ethel Virginia Henry, who died Wednesday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Henry in 617 North Pittsburg street, was held yesterday. Rev. J. L. Frondt officiated at the services that were held in the First Presbyterian Church at 3 o'clock. Interment was made in the Scottdale Cemetery.

CLARENCE F. STICKEL.

Funeral service for Clarence Franklin Stickel was held Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home in West Crawford avenue. Rev. J. H. Lamberton, pastor of the Methodist Protestant Church, assisted by Rev. F. J. Scott, pastor of the United Presbyterian Church, officiated. Mrs. Clarence McCormick sang "Something Well Understood," "Save in the Arms of Jesus," and "Asleep in Jesus." The service was largely attended and there were many beautiful floral tributes. Pallbearers were Wilbur Stickel, Edward O'Donnell, Earl Blasie and Stanley Beighley. Interment in charge of Funeral Director J. E. Sims, was made in Dickerson Run Union Cemetery.

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Frank Nowell, who has been ill at his home in East Fairview avenue, is able to be about in the house.

J. J. Draper, well-known Baltimore & Ohio engineer, who underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Connellsville State Hospital, returned to his South Pittsburg street home on Thursday. He is able to be about in the house.

Miss Dorothy Berg and Miss Catherine Dougherty came home last night from Indian State Normal, Indiana, Pa., to spend the Christmas holidays at their respective homes. Miss Berg is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Berg, and Miss Dougherty, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Dougherty.

Mrs. H. H. McIntire, wife of Dr. McIntire, who has been ill of scarlet fever since Sunday, is getting along nicely. Her son, George, who contracted the same illness on December 8, is not getting along very well, having developed other complications.

John Norton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene T. Norton of "Windymere," East Crawford avenue, Robert Schenck son of Mrs. Loonee Schenck of East Green street, and Richard Boyd, son of Mr. and Mrs. Benton Boyd of Trotter, will arrive home tonight from Houghton College, Bethany, W. Va., for the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. Walter C. Richay and sister, Miss Jane Alexander, spent the day in Pittsburgh.

M. F. Fisher of South Connellsville is home from a week's visit with relatives in Baltimore.

Betty Gobert, who has been ill at her home in Uniontown of scarlet fever, is still confined to her bed, having developed rheumatism.

Thomas Solighton and Arthur Getchell have returned home from a visit in New York.

John W. Kopfart of Ebensburg, justice of the Supreme Court, who was forced to return to Philadelphia to his home about 10 days ago because of serious illness, is rapidly recovering. Judge Kopfart is a brother of H. M. Kopfart.

Shopping Made Easy!

We have just the thing as an eleventh-hour Christmas gift—after considerable hunting for an appropriate present—a Savings Bank book showing a deposit of \$1.00 or more will please when other fail. For the Hub—it is a start for youth—a lesson, the grown-ups—a pleasure accepted gift. Every year we supply many books for this fine purpose because a goodly number have discovered the easy way of Xmas shopping with the Citizens National Bank of Connellsville.—Advertisement—17dec24.

Want Help?

Advertiser in our Classified column.

Mystery In Death Of Composer's Wife



MRS. DOROTHY STOTHART

Mrs. Dorothy Stothart, wife of Herbert Stothart, noted musical composer of New York City, is dead under mysterious circumstances after swallowing what is believed to have been poison by mistake.

Automobiles \$7.50 to \$39.50

Duplicates of the larger models—Franklin, Kings, Ace, Buicks, Lincolns, etc., fitted with regulation auto accessories—windshield, license plates, spare tire, headlights, motor-motor, etc. Pedal action; sizes to suit all ages.

Pedal Bikes \$3.50 and \$5.00

With strong pedal action and wire wheels.

Velocipedes \$3.50 to \$17.50

With rubber tires. Sizes for all ages.

Electrical Trains

Set of electric type engine, 8-in. long, baggage car, chair car, eight pieces curved electric track including terminal section, control switch and wire \$6.00

Set of electric type engine, 10-in. long, baggage car, chair car, eight pieces curved electric track including terminal section, control switch and wire \$7.00

Set of electric type engine with four wheels, baggage and reverse, large buffer car, observation car, each 13-in. long, curved and straight 2 1/4-in. gauge track, terminal section, control switch and wire \$20.00

Mama Dolls

"Madam Hendren" Mama Dolls, shaped bodies, composition heads, loose jointed, stuffed or composition legs and sleeping eyes. Infant or doll styles \$2.50 to \$10.00

K. & K. Mama Dolls, beautifully lifelike, with blue eyes, heads, stuffed bodies and composition arms and legs. Sleeping eyes. Handsomely dressed \$3.50 to \$16.00

"Dolly Tru-Sew," consisting of beautiful mama doll and five dresses. Complete in box with hangers and rack \$1.50

Christmas Trees and Accessories

Artificial Trees, small ones for table decoration or full size; non-inflammable. Complete with bases \$5.00 to \$12.00

Christmas Stockings of net, filled with toys and novelties. Several sizes \$2.00 to \$4.00

Christmas Tree Lights 8 in a row with multiple attachment. Colored bulbs, wire and socket. Complete \$1.50 to \$3.50

Christmas Tree Fences, association with sale. Green trimmed with red \$1.25 to \$1.50

Christmas Tree Trimmings, silver tinsel, garland or silver foiled. Pkg. \$1.50

Toys, Games, etc.

Athletic Goods, well made of substantial materials.

Footballs, with bladders \$1.00 to \$2.00

Striking Bells, with bladders \$1.50

Soccer Balls, with bladders \$1.00

Athletic Sets, consisting of four boxing gloves, hand-ball and football \$6.00

Train Set and Outfit, of locomotive with brake, tender, baggage and chair cars, curved and straight track, adjustable brake trip, signal tower, water tank and station \$5.00

Planes—"Schoolhouse" line of upright styles. Six to 18 inches \$6.00 to \$15.00

Self Player Planes that actually play tunes. Two sizes \$3.50 and \$5.00

Toy Telephones that work \$1.50 and \$3.00

Juvenile Kitchen Sets consisting of miniature egg whisks, spatulas, cake turners, golden oak or fumed oak finishes \$1.00 and \$1.50

Table and Chair Sets \$1.00 to \$2.00

Tax Wagons \$1.00 to \$2.00

Children's Furniture

In ivory or gray finishes.

Kitchen Cabinets \$1.75 to \$3.50

Mechanical Cradles \$1.50

Dressing Tables \$2.50 to \$7

Small Sets of Furniture in boxes \$1.00 and \$1.50

Bassinettes \$1.00 to \$5.00

Dressers \$2.50 to \$5.00

Doll Swings \$1.00 and \$1.75

Tables \$1.50 to \$6.00

High Chairs \$1.50 to \$1.00

Playhouses \$1.00 to \$3.50

VANDERBILT CARD LEAGUE COMES TO END

Champion Regulars Hand Civics, Cellar Team, Facing in Final 500 Game.

OTHER NEWS OF THE DAY

Special to The Courier:

VANDERBILT. Dec. 20.—The Five Hundred League came to a close last evening as the champion Regular club took the Civic team, the tall club, into camp in real champion fashion. Getting the jump on the cellar team, the champs gave their opponents a severe drubbing. It was the seventh win for the "Dogs," and the seventh defeat for the Civics.

With the close of the league, the players are looking forward to the banquet that was planned with the opening of the season on October 30. Since that date, each team has played 10 games.

The champs suffered three defeats and all at the hands of the second place, Legion contingent.

The final standing of the teams:

	W. L.	Pct.
Regulars	7	.700
Legion	5	.600
Civics	3	.300

At Presbyterian Church.

Rev. Dillon of Mount Pleasant will preach at the East Library Presbyterian Church tomorrow morning. Bible school will be held at 10 o'clock and worship at 11. The church parsonage is being cleaned for the new pastor, Rev. E. B. Shaw, who will take over the pastorate on January 4.

At M. E. Church.

The regular services will be held at James Cochran Memorial Methodist Episcopal Church tomorrow.

No School Next Week.

There will be no sessions in the borough school next week, as it is the annual Christmas holiday week. Classes will resume Monday, December 29.

Frick Wage Scale.

The restoration of the H. C. Frick wage scale by the W. J. Rainey, Inc., took effect Tuesday, December 16, according to a report given out by officials at the Paul plant. Instead of waiting until January 1 the company is making the increase effective immediately. One official termed it the "Rainey Company's Christmas gift to its employees." Men are being employed every day.

Card League Planned.

With the close of the Five Hundred League last evening plans are being laid for another card league. Numerous suggestions have been received and it is probable that the next will be a much longer. A meeting will be held during the early part of January.

Juniors to Meet.

The regular weekly business session of the Junior Order of United American Mechanics will be held Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the Junior Hall.

W. R. Knight, Jr.

W. R. Knight is seriously ill. He is one of the oldest residents of the town, being nearly 70. He is not expected to recover.

R. R. Auxiliary to Meet.

Democracy Lodge of the Ladies Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen will meet Monday evening in the Junior Hall at Dawson. The meeting is scheduled for 7:30 o'clock.

Christmas Cantata.

The annual Christmas cantata at the Christian Church will be given tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock.

Lugard Meet Postponed.

The Emory Lewis Pratt Post of the American Legion did not hold its regular meeting Thursday evening as scheduled. The annual election of officers was to have taken place but it was postponed as Mr. Fletcher of Brownsville, appointed to install the officers, could not make his appearance on that night.

Personals.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. McManus were callers in Connellsville yesterday.

Raymond McLaughlin returned home last evening after spending several days with friends and relatives at Buckeye.

Representative Joseph B. Henderson of Connellsville was a caller on friends here yesterday.

Mrs. John Malicky spent yesterday in Connellsville as a shopper.

Mr. Husband and daughter, Grace, were Connellsville callers yesterday.

Madeline Johnson, Peter Abel and Robert Burns spent last evening in Connellsville on a business mission.

Howard Addis was a social caller in Connellsville last evening.

Dorothy Telcher who has been employed by the West Penn Company at Pittsburg was called home by the death of her mother, Mrs. P. R. Telcher.

Judge of the Peace C. B. Arison was in business caller in Uniontown yesterday.

Meyersdale

MEYERSDALE, Dec. 20.—The Woodstock Afternoon Club Club was entertained this week by Mrs. W. S. Livermore.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Savier announce the birth of a son, born to them Tuesday, December 16.

Mrs. E. S. Kemp has returned from a two weeks' visit with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George Houm in Akron, Ohio.

Mrs. Anna Irwin of Sand Patch spent yesterday here visiting and shopping.

Mrs. Joseph Levy returned to her home in Somersett Thursday, after a week's stay, it is reported, with relatives.

Mrs. Thomas A. McKunde spent a few days this week visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Charles V. Hughes in Uniontown.

Misses Mamie and Ignatius D'Amico, students at St. Bonaventure College, Greenville, will make home today to spend the Christmas holidays with their parents. Mr. and Mrs. Gus D'Amico.

DAILY RADIO PROGRAM

(Compiled by United Press)
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 20
(Eastern Standard Time)

WBBM, CHICAGO—Concerts, orchestra, vocalists, etc.
WCAU, PHILADELPHIA—Orchestra, vocalists, etc.
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I. T. U. to Inaugurate Correspondence Course For Printers on Jan. 1

INDIANAPOLIS Dec 20 — Inauguration of a new correspondence course in the printing arts, under direction of a newly organized bureau of education of the International Typographical Union will take place January 1 according to an announcement by James M. Lynch president of the union.

The instruction will cover a wide field than was covered by the course held recently conducted from the nation's educational quarters in New York City. The new bureau occupies quarters in the international offices here. John H. Chambers of Dayton, Ohio, is the new director of the educational bureau, the teaching staff of which has been enlarged.

Energy and resources of the union will be devoted to extending work of the educational bureau as rapidly as is practical, Mr. Lynch said.

"The newly installed executive council looks upon apprentice training as of vital importance," said Mr. Lynch. "The I. T. U. protective and beneficial institutions such as the Union Printers' Home at Colorado Springs, Colo., moratorium benefit and old age pension have accomplished much in strengthening the organization, but future welfare of the union requires elevation of craftsmanship and sound education of succeeding generations of printers."

"Employers do not object to paying good wages to good printers but they will complain against good wages for incompetent men. The same applies in any other trade. It is our ambition to light the way for other trades in this problem of education."

Under by-laws of the Typographical Union passage of the course in printing for apprentices is compulsory. They are required to begin their educational work in the third year of their six-year apprenticeship and the work must be completed before they are admitted to membership. The new bureau will provide adequate methods for checking up the progress of each apprentice in his studies and for determining if he has profited by his studies.

In addition to the merely technical operations of the printing craft, the course will carry instruction in English, punctuation, art in its relation to printing, and in advertising composition. The policy of permitting the student to elect subjects, not included in fundamental courses, will be pursued.

"Instructors will endeavor to engage the interest of each student by offering individual attention to his needs and by writing personal letters," said Mr. Chambers. "Whenever possible, too, a 'big brother,' for the apprentices will be selected from the printers in the shop where the lad is employed. The 'big brother' will be in correspondence with the bureau and will be advised of the student's progress and of his difficulties from time to time."

"Apprentice committees are maintained by local unions and are charged with responsibility for welfare of apprentices. Those committees will be provided with all information needed for encouraging progress in studies and will be expected to see that each apprentice begins the course at the proper time and that he completes it satisfactorily before his admission to the rank of journeyman. While the course is designed for beginners, educational work will be provided also for journeymen who wish to perfect themselves in advanced phases of the printing art."

Test questions for use in examination of apprentices by local committees will be supplied by the bureau.

Dawson Schools Have Christmas Trees Last Day

SPECIAL TO THE COURIER
DAWSON, Dec. 20.—The local schools closed today for the holiday season. In rooms 1, 2 and 3, the Christmas spirit prevailed much more having a large tree. In all the five rooms the scholars exchanged gifts.

BUSINESS FIRMS GIVE CALENDARS.
A number of business firms are giving out calendars for the coming year. Some of the best-looking valentines seen here in years are being distributed among patrons.

ENTERTAINMENT VAN CLUB.
Miss Alma Harper entertained the Van Fan Club on Thursday night at her home at East Liberty. After the regular business was carried out lunch was served by the hostess.

Safety Meeting.
The regular monthly meeting of the Safety Committee was held on Thursday morning in the office of General Foreman S. W. Inks at Dickerson.

EARL SHOEMAKER MOVES.
Earl Shoemaker has moved his family from Howell Street into the Henry Merritt property along the state road.

KING'S HERALD MEET.
The King's Herald were entertained by Miss Mildred Davidson at her home at North Dawson. The meeting was opened by Mrs. Stauder and Mrs. John Collins. Thirty members were present. After the meeting was over refreshments were served.

MOVES INTO COCHRAN BUILDING.
John Smith, who runs a variety store, has moved into the Cochran building.

PERSONALS.

William Heers was a Pittsburgh visitor Thursday evening.
Eva Lynn of Franklin township was a town visitor Thursday evening.
Mrs. E. W. Inks and Mrs. A. F.

Rushton were Connellsville callers Wednesday.

Mrs. Sarah Green was a Pittsburgh visitor Wednesday.

D. R. Budd of Dickerson Run was transacting business in Pittsburgh on Thursday.

IRON BRIDGE

IRON BRIDGE Dec 20 — Miss Goldsworthy of Huntington, W. Va., and Mrs. Mandie Schaefer of Mount Pleasant spent Sunday here visiting the former's sister, Miss Glad Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nodrow of New York and Miss Eva Nedrow of New York were Pleasant spent Wednesday here visiting the former's sister, Miss Roberta Queen.

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OHIOOPYLE Dec 20 — Mrs. Nora Totton was a Confluence shopper on Thursday.

Mrs. Anna Shaffer spent Thursday visiting relatives at Confluence.

Mrs. Ann Williams spent Thursday shopping at Confluence.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Taylor spent Thursday at Connellsville shopping.

Hugh Corrigan of Uniontown is spending a few days here visiting relatives.

Albert Kuritz of McKeesport was a business caller here Thursday.

Harry Davis of Connellsville was a business caller here Thursday.

Harry Wible is spending a few days visiting relatives at Homestead.

Delicious Tid-Bits

Superior Christmas Cake

YOUR Christmas table will not be complete without an assortment of tasty "Superior" pastries.

Breads, cakes, pies and pastries just for the Holiday occasion.

Give a "Superior" Fruit Cake to your friends. Filled with delicious fruits from the gardens of the world and packed in beautiful cartons of one, two and four pound sizes.

On Sale at All Grocers

Fayette Baking Co.

125 West Peach Street

A Book Of Tickets For The Movies

A gift that will be most appreciated.

PRICES

1 Book of 25 Adult Tickets..... \$2.75—Save 50¢

1 Book of 100 Adult Tickets..... \$4.40—Save 50¢

1 Book of 100 Children's Tickets..... \$1.00—Save 50¢

15 Tickets to a Book.

Paramount & Soisson Theatres

CAP STUBBS

Misses Edith and Olive Koontz and Junior Koontz of Mount Pleasant spent Thursday here visiting their aunt, Miss Milton Crosby.

Mrs. Stella Thiaschi is spending several weeks in McKeesport visiting her brother, Enly Masbury.

Quite a few of the people of this place are ill with grippe.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Of Road Supervisors of Dunbar Township, Fayette Co., Pa., for Year 1924.

PAY ROLL AS PER SUPERVISORS.

William Roland	\$ 7,420.21
Geo. M. Strickler	11,730.58
Fred C. Smith	13,027.65
Hugh D. Barnhart	1221.10

Expenditures for maintenance of roads exclusive of pay roll divided as follows:

William Roland	\$ 362.07
Geo. M. Strickler	1,777.37
Fred C. Smith	6,110.04
Hugh D. Barnhart	614.14
Miscellaneous	7,579.01
Total	14,169.19

EXPENDITURES.

For Repairs to earth roads	\$ 22,379.12
For Repairs to Stone, Brick or Bituminous Roads	1,101.45
For Repairs to State Aid Roads	175.07
For Opening and Building New Roads	10,101.15
For Permanent Improvement of Roads	11,275.00
For Permanent Bridges and Culverts	5,176.91
For New Tools and Machinery	5,056.21
For Repairs to Tools and Machinery	4,601.11
For Wages For Roadmasters	2,660.00
For Compensation to Treasurer	1,045.98
For Removing Snow	30.00
For Supervisors' Convention	1.00
For Interest on Bonds	9,750.00
For Sinking Fund for Maturity of Bonds	10,030.00
For Rent Light Heat Elec	64.00
For Stationery and Printing	16.00
For Maintenance of Water Troughs	90.00
For Miscellaneous	5,053.17

Total Expenditures

RECEIPTS.

Balance in Treasury from 1923	\$ 51,395.80
Collections for 1924 Tax	60,057.51
Collections for Back Taxes, 1921-'23	5,661.64
Collections for County for Unpaid Land	4,919.14
Collections from Sale of Stone Crusher	150.00

Total Receipts

STATEMENT OF TAXES.

Balance on 1914 Duplicate	\$ 3,996.95
Balance on 1920 Duplicate	6,769.73

Total on Back Duplicates for Collection

TOTAL DEDUCTIONS ON TAXES.

Balance to be Collected on 1924 Tax	\$ 14,462.28
Taxes Outstanding 1924	1,642.75
Taxes Outstanding 1919	2,906.86
Taxes Outstanding 1920	6,769.73

Total

TOTAL TAX OUTSTANDING.

RENOVATION.

Assessed Valuation of Township Real Estate

Balance in Hands of Treasurer December 15, 1924

Balance Due on Back Tax Duplicate

Estimate Value of Trucks, Wagons, Tools, Etc.

Balance on Hand in Sinking Fund

Total

The Biggest Sale

of used cars the people of Connellsville have ever seen. Priced so low that no matter how small or how large your income may be you will be the loser if you don't look these over.

We, the undersigned Auditors of Dunbar Township, wish to state that present Board of Supervisors have done everything possible to conduct the business of the Township according to law and on a business basis. We wish to commend Supervisors Wm. Roland, G. M. Strickler and Hugh D. Barnhart for their effort put forth, as they did everything possible in helping Auditors in their findings for 1924 Audit.

We, the undersigned Auditors of Dunbar Township certify the above statement is correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

GEO. G. LIVENGOOD,
F. B. HERRON,
R. J. WERNER,
Auditors.

FREE!

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A Nice Christmas Present for You—
So Be Sure and Call.

T. F. Means Garage

Bell 424. Tri-State 695-Y.

127 North 8th Street, West Side, Connellsville, Pa.

When better automobiles are built, Buick will build them.

\$1—Coupon—\$1

This coupon is good for One (\$1.00) Dollar to apply on a purchase of Five (\$5.00) Dollars or more if presented at GOLDSTONE BROS., Title & Trust Building, Connellsville, Pa.

IT COULD BE FUNNY!

A. E. Wagoner & Son

Real Estate and Insurance

RENTS COLLECTED

Tri-State Phone 517, Bell 148.

1009 West Crawford Avenue, Connellsville, Pa.

Bell 319. Tri-State 592.

Willard Radio A. Batteries

100 Amper Battery for \$13.50

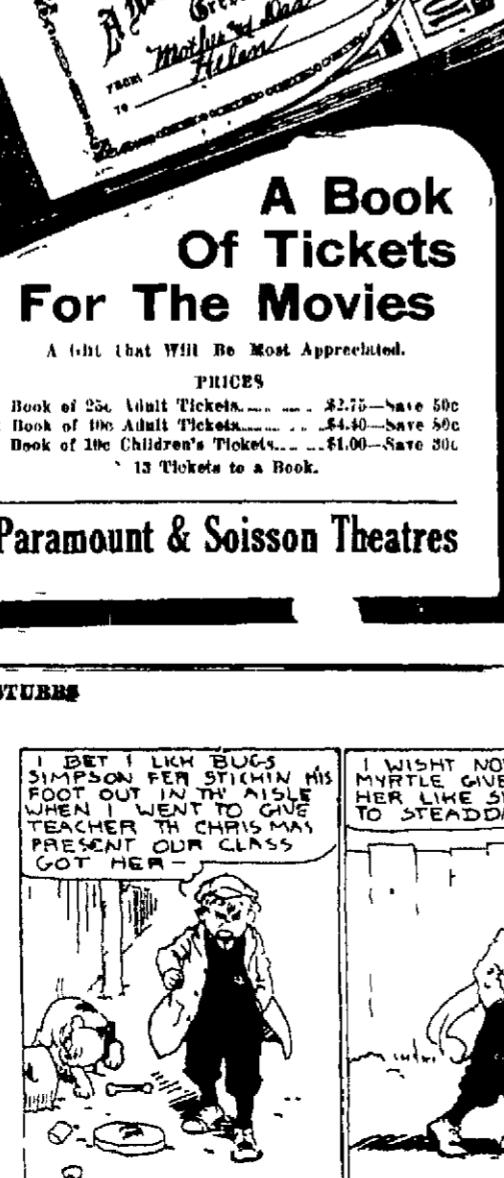
AUTO SERVICE CO.

305 W. Crawford Ave.

Bell 319. Tri-State 592.

PATRONIZE THOSE WHO ADVERTISE IN THE DAILY COURIER

BY EDWINA



**SCOTTDALE CHOIRS
WILL SING MUSIC OF
CHRISTMAS SUNDAY**

Excellent Program Arranged
by Director Pearl Keck
at Presbyterian.

OTHERS ARE HIGH CLASS

Special to The Courier.
SCOTTDALE, Dec. 20.—Christmas music will feature services in the churches tomorrow, it being Christmas Sunday.

At the Presbyterian Church, Miss Pearl Keck, the director of the choir, has arranged good programs for morning and evening. At the morning service an anthem, "There were Shepherds," by Birch, will be sung by the choir; also a trio, "Star of Bethlehem," by Mrs. G. F. Kelly, Lex Porter and E. L. Rutherford.

In the evening there will be an entire program of Christmas music, with a talk by the pastor on music in the church. The program for the service is:

Anthem, "O Quiet Night."

Solo, "The Birthday of a King," Mr. Porter.

Anthem, "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear."

Solo, Mr. Rutherford.

Anthem, "O Little Town of Bethlehem."

Duet, "The Message," Mr. Rutherford and Mr. Otto.

Anthem, "O Come to My Heart, Lord Jesus."

The personnel of the choir is:

Sopranos, Mrs. G. F. Kelly, Mrs. R. E. Mitteray, Mrs. W. Momoyee and Mrs. J. Evans.

Alto, Mrs. W. B. Barnhart, Mrs. W. A. Gordon, Miss Evelyn Chaney and Miss Jean Mier.

Tenors, E. L. Rutherford and Lyle Hough.

Basses, Lex Porter, J. R. Campbell, W. B. Barnhart and W. E. Barnhart—Director and organist, Pearl Keck.

The United Presbyterian program will be given in the church auditorium in the morning. The choir will render anthems. The remainder of the program is made up of recitations and songs by the children. H. A. Irwe, secretary of the V. M. C. A., will deliver an address.

The Methodist Episcopal Church will hold its service in the church auditorium when the pageant, "In the Fullness of Time" will be presented. In charge of the program is the Sunday school superintendent, D. P. Davis assisted by Mrs. C. W. Stauffer, Mrs. Curtis Farmer, Mrs. H. C. Fox, Miss Louise Kerr and Miss Blanche Lowry.

Christmas exercises will be held at the Methodist Church in the evening at 7 o'clock, when a program will be given by the members of the Sunday school.

Community Tree Relocation.

Tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Methodist Episcopal Church Robert Barkell who will have charge of the staging for the community of Scottdale, Inc., all members of choir and musical club of Scottdale, along with all other people who are to take part will rehearse the hymns that will be sung at the tree Thursday evening.

Bond Sale Authorized.

At a special meeting of the school board on Thursday evening the board authorized that proper steps be taken for the sale of the \$100,000 bond issue voted on by the people at the last election.

Yukle Club Meets.

The Junior Auxiliary Musical Club met on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. J. R. Campbell, a program, refreshments were served.

Automobile Stolen.

Willie Joe Belsante, the Pittsburgh street fruit merchant, was in Uniontown Thursday evening. He parked his roadster near the Pennsylvania railroad station while he attended to some business. He was gone but eight minutes when he found that the car was stolen. The car was a 1921 Maroon Buick.

Christmas Postoffice Hours.

At the postoffice Christmas Day the money order and registry windows will be closed the entire day, general delivery and stamp windows will be open 7 to 11 A. M. 2 to 5 P. M. 5 to 7 P. M. There will be a morning collection and a delivery.

Personals.

Miss Eleanor Vogel left yesterday

\$50

**World's Lowest Priced
Closed Car**



A Great Christmas Gift
to Give the Family!

It's a family car. It's a business car. It's a camping car. The Overland Coupe-Sedan! A sensation in price—a manufacturing triumph that enables anybody to own a closed car as easily as an open car! Q. Doors both front and rear—easy entrance, easy exit—not climbing over seats or feet. Front and rear seats both adjust forward and backward to fit tall and short people. Rear seat and upholstery are entirely removable—giving 50 cubic feet of square carrying space for anything and everything a salesman, merchant, farmer or housewife

wishes to carry. Both seats quickly make into a full-length bed in the car ideal for camping trips. The only closed car at the price with a speedometer, foot accelerator, disc clutch, sliding gear transmission and COMPLETE EQUIPMENT. Q. A car that saves you money in price—and then saves you money right along, all the time. Big savings in gasoline and oil—less wear and tear on tires—strength and dependability that minimizes upkeep. Come in and see this remarkable Overland Coupe-Sedan at our Closed Car show. Easy terms.

**OVERLAND
Coupe - Sedan**

Fayette Motor Sales Co.

504-06 West Crawford Ave, Connellsville, Pa.

for her home at Butler for the holiday vacation.

Mrs. C. E. Stone and daughter, Betty Kate, spent yesterday in Pittsburgh.

Christmas Flowers.

Merry Christmas—"Say It with Flowers". We will have for sale in the store room, corner of Pittsburg and Chestnut streets, December 22, 23 and 24, cut flowers and Christmas potted plants. W. C. Myers & Son—Advertisement—U.S. 24.

For Sale.

Night-room houses, 2 1/2 acres ground, or improved road; one street car fare from Scranton for \$4,000. Six-room house, heater, electric lights, large lot, for \$4,000. Seven-room and eight-room house, 17 acres ground, good location, for \$6,000. New six-room bungalow, heater, electric lights, \$3,500. Five-room house, electric lights, 2 1/2 acres ground, \$2,200. Seven-room house, 7 acres ground, for \$1,200. E. F. DeWitt—Advertisement—U.S. 24.

Read our advertising columns.



Suitable Gifts

Here are a few suggestions for gifts that will be highly prized:

**Whitman's
Reymer's
and
Johnson's
Boxed Candies**

1, 2, 3 and 5 lb. Boxes

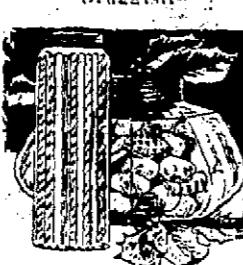
\$1 to \$10.

A large assortment of Parker's Fountain Pens and Pencils.

Christmas Cards that will please you.

Toilet Sets—all sizes and prices.

C. Roy Hetzel
Druggist



SANTY CLAUS

welcomes you to our toy world, which is the only toy store in this vicinity—have 900 square feet display of toys. Toys that were never seen before, and prices are moderate. Will save you money on everything you will buy here.

S. WENNER

Next door to Waiting Room,
Scottdale, Pa.

It's Extraordinary!

Not only a Sedan out of the ordinary—but a truly extraordinary value as well! Fisher body—powerful and economical L-Head Six-Cylinder Engine—Delco electrical equipment, pressure-feed lubrication, a Harrison radiator, dry disc clutch, floor-type heater, automatic windshield cleaner—quality features all! And only \$1275 f. o. b. factory on the easiest payment plan ever devised.

The **Sedan** \$1275
F. O. B. Lansing
Way Tax Exempt

Olds-Fayette Motor Co.

**OLDSMOBILE
SIX**
PRODUCT OF GENERAL MOTORS

**One Game Separates
Leaders in Bowling
League; Tilts Monday**

Confluence

CONFLUENCE, Dec. 20.—G. R. McDonald, who has been ill for several weeks, is still confined to his home.

H. P. Burnworth of Johnson Chapel lost a valuable horse this week by having to shoot the animal after its leg was broken while hauling logs in the woods.

The Meyers Motor Company is installing a third large gasoline tank.

Mr. Zimmerman, the new Western Maryland railroad agent, has moved here from West Virginia and will occupy the C. A. Shop house.

Frank Gross was a business visitor to Meyersdale yesterday.

Kennedy, Prevere, an extra芙蓉 & Ohio operator, is working at Oliver, Pa., at present.

M. M. Thomas of Meyersdale was a recent visitor with his son-in-law and daughter, Drs. and Mrs. H. P. Meyers.

Rev. William A. Grantz left yesterday for a visit to Fort Hill.

Patronize those who advertise.

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Vanderbilt 12 6 .007

Connellsville 11 7 .011

Perryopolis 9 9 .500

Dickerson Run 4 13 .722

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They'll do the work.

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Musical Instruments

Please Old and Young

SANTA knows that for young folks, music is as much a necessity as food.

The sweet mellow strains of the mandolin, guitar, banjo or ukulele in the parlor, in winter, or in a canoe, or on a moonlight night in summer, means many delightful, never to be forgotten hours.

At Frederick's you'll find only the best instruments at prices you can afford to pay. Our convenient credit terms are for your convenience.

A gift of one of our instruments will bring immeasurable pleasure to some dear one.

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Next Orpheum Theatre, Connellsville, Pa.
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Most men are "choosy," hard to buy for—but there's one sure, safe way

Buy where the men buy—where men's tastes are understood

Men like this store—know its standards; our name on the gift box will make your present truly welcome.

Whether it's a tie you're buying or a Hart, Schaffner & Marx, Kuppenheimer or Fashion Park suit, you can depend on its being smart and good and right to a man's taste.

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MOTION PICTURE DIRECTORY

A GUIDE TO THE BEST PICTURES NOW BEING SHOWN

ORPHEUM THEATRE

—Presents—

Monday—Tuesday—Wednesday



It takes a mighty fine picture to equal "Beaucaire," but this fiery melo-drama does equal it. Yes, better. Come and see for yourself.

Adolph Zukor
and
Jessel Lasky
present

Rudolph Valentino in REX BEACH'S "A SAINTED DEVIL"

A Paramount Picture

Also 2-Reel Comedy and Weekly

At the Theatres

The Paramount

"ROUGH RIDIN'" showing today at the Paramount, presents Buddy Roosevelt in the leading role. "Rough Ridin'" most decidedly is not a one punch picture. It teems with thrills, with three super-punches that top the others, any one of which would be sufficient to insure its success as an entertainment. One of the super-punches is the rescue of the heroine from death by Buddy Roosevelt, who grabs the girl from in front of an express train, stops a hot-to-trot, another is a fall by Buddy and the villain over a high precipice into the river, and the third is Buddy's lifting of the heroine out of a speeding buckboard while Buddy is galloping alongside the rig at a breakneck pace.

Monday and Tuesday Laura La Plante will be seen in "The Dangerous Blonde."

The Sosson

"THE MARRIAGE VOW," featuring Monte Blue and Beverly Bayne, provides splendid entertainment today at the Sosson.

"The Marriage Vow" is the story of young Carol who turns down wealthy Ted Lowe to marry Bob Hilton who has only a very meager salary check to offer. Most of her friends think she is terribly foolish. But her old grandmother with whom she has been living since the death of her own parents is glad that she chose love rather than riches.

The man who was rejected and who represented "Riches" refuses to go out of the scene; he waits patiently, and when a little domestic difficulty opens up between Bob and Carol, he steps in and then the drama begins. Wherever it has played, this picture has come in for a high degree of praise and popularity.

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, "A Son of the Sahara," with Bert Lytell and Claire Windsor in the leading roles, will be shown. The Christmas star actor will be "The Only Woman," starring Norma Talmadge.

Give Bicycles for Xmas

Specially
Priced

\$20 to \$26

Nothing will give your boy or girl more pleasure than a bicycle for Christmas. It provides them with innocent amusement and bicycle riding is healthful exercise. Come in today and see them. All sizes—all prices—for boys and girls, men and women. Specially priced at \$20 to \$26.

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THE BICYCLE SHOP
125 North Meadow Lane.

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Paramount Theatre

TODAY

"BUDDY" ROOSEVELT

“ROUGH RIDIN’”

A New Star and a Western That Is Packed With Action and Thrills.

Shultzabarger at the Smith Pipe Organ

Comedy
The Girl Hater

Jack Mulhall
In
Into the Net

Monday and Tuesday

LAURA LA PLANTE

“The Dangerous Blonde”

Mix, can be truthfully acclaimed one of the best pictures of this year. The story is by George Scarborough and concerns a rich young rancher who is faced by the difficult problem of saving the girl he loves from a scheming scoundrel who has won her heart. The methods employed by the rancher to accomplish his end are original and enthralling. Mix gives the picture lots of action and, with the assistance of Tom Wilson, plenty of humor.

The Orpheum

"THE SAINTED DEVIL"—A Paramount picture in which Rudolph Valentino is seen in the stellar role will open on Monday at the Orpheum for a three-day attraction. With an excellent supporting cast, a story of dash and color, and rich settings which depict the Argentine life in the Buenos Aires, "A Sainted Devil" is said to surpass even "Monstre Beaucaire," which was received by critics and public alike with great acclaim. In this picture, which Forrest Halsey adapted from Rex Beach's story, "Rope's End," Valentino portrays the role of Don Alonso Castro, a spirited young South American who travels up and down the scale of love and who fights at the drop of the hat for the woman he loves. Helen D'Aigle has the role of Julietta, a dark-eyed, raven-haired beauty

who captures all the space in Don Alonso's heart despite the efforts of Carlotta, played by Nita Naldi, Donna Florencia, Dagmar Godowsky, and Carmelita, Luise Langrene, who try to win him away. George Siegman has the colorful role of El Tigre, the wild bandit of the pampas, and other members of the cast are Antonio D'Aigle, Joan Del Val, Roger Lutton, Isabel West, Raphael Bongini, Frank Montgomery, William Betts, Edward Elkins, A. De Rose, Ann Brody, Evelyn Axzell and Marie Diller.

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The Arcade

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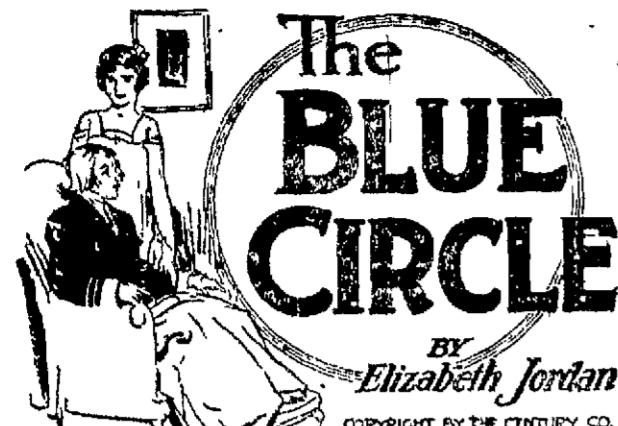
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Elizabeth Jordan

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"Of course he'll come soon. Morris is not the man to neglect the most important patient he has ever had. Also, the incomparable Jenkins has told him that tea is served at five o'clock, and that your cook's specialty is toasted muffins. It must be about five now," he added with condescending pathos. "I wouldn't mind having a buttered muffin myself."

All the while he banged, kicked, and battered, stopping occasionally to turn the doorknob experimentally. He had not for a moment forgotten that the limpish or maddened torso that had so suddenly closed the door might open it again. He did not intend to be caught napping or to have the girl remain in that trap one instant longer than was necessary.

Verity released her grasp of his arm and slipped her left hand further into his right one. He held it comfortingly, but as impersonally as he could. It was a nice job, he suddenly realized, quite a delicate job in fact, to hold that hand in exactly the right way. Under the force of this discovery, he again rushed into speech.

"Morris is sure to come, and he is sure to hear us; he went on easily. 'I don't know why I didn't mention that sooner. It would have spared you all your anxiety.'

A long, trembling sigh from the darkness beside him told him that the anxiety was not yet past. He exerted himself to interest the girl. He spoke of villages she had mentioned in her talks with Madame Hesselber, and which he also knew. His toes had wandered over the world, and had sought its out-of-the-way places. As he talked he punctuated his sentences with blows and kicks upon the unwilling door, and as he beat and beat he was steadily conscious of increasing closeness of the atmosphere.

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"I'm sure you're tired," he said gently. "Won't you sit down now?" "No; I won't take more than my share of the air that is left."

He laughed. "Still harping on that tr!" he chided.

The girl's voice was faint, but the impulse toward panic had passed. She was feeling queer and rather nervous.

"Tr!" Renshaw was shaking her quickly, almost violently. "You're not going to faint are you? Put yourself together. Try to brace up. I'll hold her hands. 'Put yourself together,' he urgently repeated. 'Tr! yourself go!'

The appeal in his voice reached her. "I feel in strange," she murmured. "It's the air. I can't get a deep breath."

He dropped her hands and started

Suddenly, Head First, He Plowed Into the Outer Corridor With Such Force That He Struck and Recoiled From the Opposite Wall.

profound understanding and relief. Facing them both, the incomparable Jenkins, all self control and presence of mind departed, helplessly gaped and stammered.

"My Gawd!" he said over and over again.

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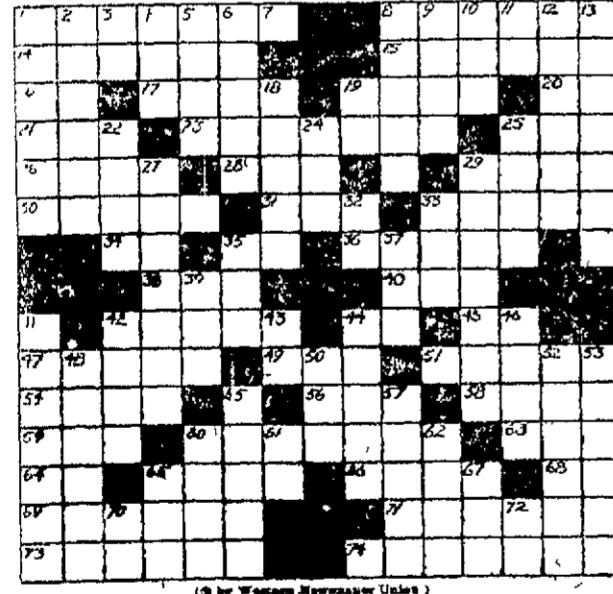
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CROSS-WORD PUZZLE No. 16



(By Western Newspaper Union)

Horizontal:

- One who begins his sentence
- Walks in a haughty manner
- Forbids
- Despotic
- Constituted announcement
- Official (abbr.)
- Matured; medled
- Thief
- Conspire
- Wife; not marrying wrong
- Small mouth
- One
- Spouse
- Article
- Wife
- Historical document
- Before (specifying)
- Polymer
- Negative
- Exact measure
- Slow
- Plus, sum
- PM or AM
- Assured
- Assured
- Additional; different
- Wife; esp.
- Any of various bambous
- Part of Vega (to be)
- Cry
- Wife
- Despotic
- Domestic rabbit
- You and I
- Part of root
- Pal
- Conspire
- Constituted
- Thief
- Wife; mother

Vertical:

- Plays
- Vegetable
- For example (abbr.)
- Constituted; measured
- Official order
- Code
- On
- Conscript
- Note of musical note
- Raps
- Houseways
- Name as No. 47 horizontal
- Official notice (abbr.)
- Bridge
- Person (poetic)
- Song
- Abused
- Conscript
- Number of past events
- Male name
- Politic person
- Constituted
- Handed off
- Relate to a definite
- Relate
- Forced couch
- Prancing measure
- Reant
- Use for
- One who institutes pliably
- A year
- Same or
- To qualify
- Constituted
- Please
- Deserve rapidly
- Note of musical note
- Make a mistake
- Constituted
- Yester
- Exist
- Prize; meaning two

One column will appear in next issue

"And you in there, too, Miss Campbell, and most suffocated!"

Renshaw put him aside and caught the girl's arm as she bifaked and swayed.

"It was pretty bad while it lasted,

but it's over now," he said cheerfully.

"Steady her on the other side, Jenkins, and tell her to her room. Here, bring me her found her wife, and hurried to the other side of Verity to kiss her furiously.

Jenkins was examining the door to discover the cause of the accident.

His face had an odd, childlike look that, even in the excitement of the moment, Renshaw noticed. At the liquor's crisp voice he found his wife, and hurried to the other side of Verity to kiss her furiously.

"It might of killed her," he drawled indifferently.

"Nothing of the sort!" Renshaw shot a warning look at him over her head. "Some one was bound to hear the noise we kept up. I can't understand why you didn't hear it sooner."

"I did hear it sooner, sir," Jenkins confessed abject under the shock he had received. "I heard it for more than an hour. But I didn't pay any attention to it, because I thought it came from somewhere outside. He returned to his original restrain. She might have suffocated!"

"Well, she's all right now. Here you are, Miss Campbell, safe at the door of your own room. Better lie down for a while."

He opened the door for her, watched her walk unsteadily across the threshold, closed the door and looked at Jenkins.

"Get a glass of sherry for Miss Campbell, and then bring a whisky and soda to my room," he directed.

Jenkins did not return his usual brief affirmative. He did not even move from the spot where he stood. The fact that the secretary's peril had at least been equal to that of his young mistress obviously did not interest or concern him. Renshaw watched him with a tolerant understanding of his viewpoint.

"She might of been suffocated," Jenkins slowly repeated.

Chapter XI

Uncertainties.

Ten minutes later a deferential tap on Renshaw's door showed that Jenkins had recalled himself to the high duties of his office. He entered without waiting for a response and, finding the secretary in a high chair before the unit fire, set down the tray he carried and moved around the room for a moment with characteristically indecisive activity. At the end of the brief interval a small table was at the young man's elbow, and from the decanter and alphonse he had brought Jenkins had poured a stiff and welcome drink. He set this before the secretary in silence and, producing a box of cigars, maintained a perfect pose of respectful service till Renshaw had selected one. Jenkins certainly knew how to make a man comfortable. Jenkins spoke:

"All right now, sir?" His voice, as always, was smoothly respectful.

"All right, thanks. Did Miss Campbell bring her sherry?"

"Yes, sir." Jenkins hesitated. Then, "Might I ask just how it happened, sir?" he mellowly inquired.

Renshaw welcomed the question. He desired the servants to know just how it had happened if Jenkins intended to discuss the matter below stairs.

"Simplest thing in the world," he said lightly. "Miss Campbell was showing me through the house. When we reached this hall, I said something about not having enough towels. You know, I've mentioned that to you, too. She went into the closet to show me where they were. I followed her across the threshold, and the door suddenly slammed shut behind us!"

Jenkins gazed at the door.

That was odd, sir, wasn't it?" he asked gently.

Renshaw looked at him until the butler's glance lifted from the door to his eyes.

"It was very odd," he then said, holding the look. "In fact, it was so odd that it simply could not have happened."

Jenkins seemed startled.

"I don't quite follow you, sir."

"I will be damned. What I mean is—Renshaw spoke very slowly—"Don door did not shut by itself."

To this, at first, Jenkins made no reply. He seemed slightly disturbed and greatly puzzled.

"You mean, sir, that it didn't blow shut?" he asked at last through the mental mist that appeared to have set over him.

"Of course it didn't blow shut. How could it have blown shut?" There was no doubt. What I mean is that some one, or something, intentionally shut it."

Jenkins now looked frankly incredulous, but his reply, as always, was deferential.

"That would hardly be, sir, could it? Why would anyone shut it? And even if anyone wanted to, how could it be done without you seeing, sir?"

"That's what I'd like to know myself," Renshaw spoke weakly. "The after-strain of the episode was telling on him." Jenkins nodded and took up the tray.

"It was a regrettable incident, sir," he said quietly but firmly, due to the unfortunate condition of the knob. I have given orders to have the knob repaired in the morning."

Renshaw did not answer. Every word Jenkins had uttered had convinced him that the butler knew all about that door, but he was also aware that Jenkins did not intend to share his knowledge. The solution that suggested itself seemed preposterous. In his brief sense of well-being depicted in the mental jolt of the conversation, Tawny Kew was taking a lot out of him. He wondered what comments Jenkins would make on other recent episodes that had occurred. Probably they, too, were "regrettable incidents."

Jenkins exited from the room, carrying his tray.

Renshaw's thoughts swung back to Verity. How plucky the girl had been. She would actually have suffocated rather than take what she considered more than her share of the diminishing air supply!

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County League Opens Here Monday; Unity Frat-Legion to Play

**Uniontown Team Will Clash
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WILL PLAY AT ARMORY

The opening game of the fastest amateur basketball league ever organized in Fayette county, formed this season with teams from Uniontown, Connellsville and Point Marion, and known as the County Basketball League, will be played here on Monday night.

The fast Legion quintet of Uniontown, composed of many of that city's stars, will be here to meet the strengthened Unity Fraternity and an exceptional clash is anticipated.

The game will be played at the State Armory as the headliner to follow a preliminary between the Howitzer team and the Celts.

Three games in the league will be played the opening night. The one most important to fans here, however, is the one right at home. It will give Connellsvilleans a first-hand opportunity to see their ladys in action and the purple and gold squad is expected to become popular here this winter.

The preliminary game will be unable to start before 8:30 o'clock because of a special drill called for Monday, Christmas falling on Thursday, the regular drill night. The Howitzer-Celtic game will be cut to five-minute quarters to allow the main attraction to be staged.

Manager Whaley of the Legion has welded a fast quintet together but the Fraternity boosters are confident the team will excel this year. It is far and above what it was a year ago and the frat members themselves are quite anxious to see their representatives skirmish with the ex-soldiers.

The baskets at the Armory have been fitted up and the floor has been in use several days. The lines were laid off yesterday and last evening the frat held a light practice game with the Howitzer team. Only half the frat team was able to report but this quintet, for the first time on the floor, gave a good account of itself. Driscoll, Suton, Melnick, Francis and Higgins reported. Among those unable to attend were "Mickey" McCormick, Don Lathrop, Harold Hill and "Red" Struble.

DICKERSON RUN NOSES OUT FIVE HORSEMEN, 14-13

The Fighting Irish, better known as the Trotter Five Horsemen, went down to defeat before the fast Dickerson Run Y. M. C. A. quintet last evening on the Trotter floor. The game was the hardest fought on the neighboring town's floor. The final score was 14-13.

This was the second game between the two teams, with each credited with a win. The Trotter contingent won the first, 36-23.

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Harbaugh _____ Pless _____
Driscoll _____ Duffy _____
Jones _____ Bradley _____
J. Stoner _____ G. _____ T. Buckley _____
Substitutions—R. Buckley for Pless.
Field goals—Harbaugh 2, Jones 2,
Colbert 2, Miller 2, Pless, Duffy, Bradley.
Poul goals—Harbaugh, 2 out of 3;
Miller, 2 out of 4; Duffy, 1 out of 3.
Referee—Smalley.

Superintendents Take All Three From Casey Team

The Superintendent's Office took three straight games from the Casey Club in the City Bowling League at Elks Hall last night. The first was won by 10 pins and the remaining two by even more comfortable margins.

The score:
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Patrick 135 133 115 388
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It's going to be a hard blow when the Uniontown High School basketball team is defeated. The club has won 11 straight games and is planning on going through the present season unbeaten. Even the mighty take a tumble now and then.

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High School Plays Again This Evening

The Connellsville High School basketball team will play here tonight with South Brownsville as opponents. The Cokers already hold one victory over the team from the other end of the county and hope to annex another this evening. The game will begin at 8:15 o'clock.

The quintet is finally taking some form and when the regular season opens in January it is expected the boys will be able to give a worthwhile account of themselves.

The first game to be played in the W. P. I. A. League is against Uniontown High School at the countyseat on that date. The Cokers are quietly preparing for the clash and Gallatin Gardens in Uniontown will be the scene of the first meeting between the two schools in 12 seasons.

PERRY TOWNSHIP WINS TWO FROM WEST NEWTON HI

The Perry Township High School dribblers scored a double win at West Newton last evening. In the preliminary game the Perry lassies won, 21-13.

Fast playing marked the boys' game, but the Perry contingent wouldn't take defeat and handed the West Newton "huskies" a set-back, 25-21.

Johnnie Pollock Has Training Quarters at Vanderbilt Club Hall

Johnnie Pollock, well known pugilist of Fayette county, is making his training headquarters at the Vanderbilt Athletic Club rooms. Pollock, who is said to be an "old timer" in the game although he is but young in years, is planning on staging a comeback. During the season of 1923 and up to this time, he has fought but once and was defeated on that single occasion.

Pollock has signified his intention of going into the ring as a professional. Recently his challenger Mack Mills, colored local boxer,

Sport Notes.
The Scotdale basketball team trounced South Brownsville last night, 39-12 at South Brownsville.

Uniontown High School, opening its season, defeated the Fairmont High School at the Gallatin Gardens, 46-22.

The Redstone High School won another game yesterday, again defeating Centerville, 28-13.

The Captain Glass basketball team is about ready to take to the floor. The quintet has been practicing regularly and expects to be a factor in the four game this season.

The Unity Fraternity is open to schedule games, mostly away from home. Practically all the home dates of the club are taken up by games in the County Basketball League, but on nights when not active in that circuit the team is desirous of playing away.

The South Brownsville basketball team, which plays at the High School here tonight, is under the wing of Ray Henry, a local lad, who teaches in the school there. They played for the Unity Frat last season.

Poul goals—Harbaugh, 2 out of 3; Miller, 2 out of 4; Duffy, 1 out of 3.

Referee—Smalley.

Jimmy Cypher is going to find himself in a difficult position when the Casey Club and the Unity Fraternity meet on the floor this season. He is assistant manager of the former team and is a past president of the fraternity.

The Medical Detachment is negotiating for a game at Meyersdale. Dates have been secured but the soldiers will have to bring the visitors to this place.

High School now stands even in the pre-season games, having won two and lost two. The fifth game comes off this evening at 8:15 o'clock when South Brownsville will be met for the second time.

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Gifts from the 2nd. Floor

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\$5.28

Regular \$6.00 Bi-Cars or perhaps more commonly known as Trixie Mails, equipped with rubber tired wheels, are special at \$5.28.

Mama Dolls

89c

Mama dolls that have real Mama Voices, 20 inches high too, all dressed for girls to play with. Only a limited number at this price.

Horsman Dolls

\$3.98

Horsman dolls that are built strongly and that look like Kiddy Kars. Have paddles to propel them, belts to warn of their approach and rubber tired wheels.

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